

The captain of a steamer which arrived from San Francisco says that the situation here is worse than that following the disaster at San Francisco.

Worse Than Frisco.

(Earlier report, via Galveston, Texas.)—Proportionately the catastrophes here is considered greater than that which befell San Francisco, Valparaiso and neighboring towns are wrecked and partially burned, and in all the towns of the Aconcagua Valley conditions are similar. In the southern portion of Chile severe shocks were felt at Talcahuano, Concepcion, Talca and Zane, but there the disaster was not appalling. As yet no authentic news has been received from Santiago, although a courier is shortly expected.

Quakes return from time to time.